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Church Services.

Baptist: Regular services every Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. W. W. Lee Pastor.
Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

Methodist: Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. Z. A. Dowling, Pastor.

Episcopal: First and Third Sunday, in each month at 10;30 a m.

Presbyterian: Second Sunday in each month at 11 a. m.

Personals.

The sewing circle met with Mrs. D. L. Wilkinson last week.

Mrs. Sanders and daughters are visiting members of the family at Talladega.

Geo. O. McClinton has gone to Birmingham where he has gone to work at his trade.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Aldrich have gone to French Lick, Indiana, for the benefit of Mrs. Aldrich's health.

Bring all your sewing, mending, pressing and cleaning to the McGaughy sisters, Room No. 2. over Davies & Jeters store.

Greens Are Champions.

Girl's Basket Ball Team Has Beaten the Reds in Every Game.

A large crowd witnessed a very interesting game of basket ball played between the Red and Green teams of the A. G. I. S. on May 1-09.

The score was 10 to 20 in favor of the Greens. Each one played her best, but the playing of the goalsmen, Misses Stella Massey and mary Smith was exceptionally good. The line up was as follows,

Reds

mary Smith, Lavada Seale, Effis Vermillion, minnie Smith, Hazel mcGregor, Annie Burdeshan, mattie Williamson, Sadie mayfield, Carrie Hall.

Greens

Stella massey, mary Adams, Aline Robertson, Rhoda Sanders, Bunnie Wills, Evelyn Pinkston, Agnes Hitt, Bessie Watson, Virginia Savage.

The Reds were entertained on Saturday night from 6:00 to 7:00 by their sponsor Miss Young and maid Miss McAlpine the Greens from 8:30 to 9:30 by their sponsor miss mcCrary and maids misses mcmahon, Lambert, Lawhon and Kittell.

The Greens have won every match game played this year so they are the A. G. I. S. Champion team of 1909.

Dr. A. K. Parks attended the session of the State Dental Association at Anniston last week.

Wm. Lyman cashier of the Merchant's and Planters Bank attended the meetings of the State Bankers Association in Mobile last week.

Hygene and Sanitation.

Under this head, we invite questions. Anything concerning public and private health that we can answer, we will be glad to do so.

The health of a town, or a community, depends largely upon the sanitary education of its citizenship, and upon the enforcement of well known sanitary rules. Many diseases are easily preventible. The continued prevalence of typhoid fever and malaria; of smallpox and scarlet fever is a reflection on any community. The campaign for the "city beautiful," and improvements in the grounds of schools and public buildings is not only an esthetic improvement, but a sanitary advancement, and an evidence of an enlightened public opinion.

Montevallo should clean up and stay clean during the coming months.

To begin with, Montevallo should require every property owner to keep his or her real estate holdings in a sanitary condition. Every residence in town should be inspected at least once every quarter (monthly inspections would be better) to ascertain the exact condition of each man's premises. The disposal of waste, the conditions of the water supply, the care observed about the toilets, the proximity of toilets and drains to wells and sources of water supply. All should be looked into, and wherever gross neglect is shown, the town should have the right to compel the property owner to put his premises in good condition at the owners expense.

In other words, no man has the right to invite disease, nor to subject his neighbors to the danger of disease. It is an economic crime.

The homes in Montevallo should all be screened, at least every dining room should be. It has been shown most conclusively that flies are the usual carrier of typhoid fever.

The stables in the town should be required to be kept perfectly clean for it is here that flies breed. Hog pens within the corporate limits, are a great nuisance and a great menace to health they should not be tolerated.

There ought not to be too much shade about any residence, nor a superabundance of rank vegetation. The greatest germ destroyers in the world are pure fresh air and plenty of it, and sunshine. The soil under and immediately about every home should be kept dry by proper drainage. Lime should be used freely and frequently about every residence. Toilets should be cleaned every week or two, and well limed. The open toilets (the system used in Montevallo) is an open disgrace. Papers frequently blow about the streets from under these cesspools. The people in Montevallo do not ventilate their rooms enough. We are in constant danger of contracting hydrophobia. Do you know that recent investigations by the State Bacteriological Laboratory show that hydrophobia is very much more common in the State than people think. There is a way to prevent it: tax the dogs and turn the funds over to the public schools, and muzzle what dogs are left. Montevallo needs a sewrage system.

That old pond up by the Nabors property should have been drained years ago.

There are a number of houses in Montevallo where consumptives have died. Has anyone ever ascertained whether they were ever disinfected afterwards? Now, our markets are fairly well screened, but does any one ever examine the meat to ascertain whether it is tubercular or infected?

It is a well known fact that malaria is borne by mosquitoes. Let us have no stagnant pools, choked gutters, old tins or barrels of rain water about our homes this summer. Let us also remember to keep tall weeds cut for this is where mosquitoes hide duriug the day.

Next week we will consider "Malaria" the method by which it is conveyed, and how to prevent it.

D. L. Wilkinson, M. D.

Ed F. Mulkey.
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Bus meets all Trains.
Phone No. 6.
Stop at Mulkey Hotel when in Montevallo.
We pay for telegrams ordering teams.

W. S. Hurst, the clever young medicine man of the Elite drug store made a short visit to his home at Furman, Wilcox county last week.

Tragedy Ends in Another Tragedy.

Murderer of C. C. Elliott Kills Himself With Morphine.

Jim Coshatt, who killed C. C. Elliott at Vincent a few months ago, committed suicide last Thursday at the home of his brother near Sterrett. He had taken morphine during the previous night, and was found unconscious in his room when the family went to breakfast. He died at 10 a. m. from the effects of the drug.

The story of Jim Coshatt is one of deepest pathos. Twenty years ago he was one of the most promising young men in Shelby County. He had a good farm, made money, and was the possessor of a charming wife, who was remarkably beautiful and two fine baby boys.

The railroad was in course of constuction through that part of the county, and a railroad man met the wife of Coshatt and enticed her from home. She married the man in Loiusiana, and died there a few years later.

The decline and ruin of Jim Coshatt dates from the treason of his wife. Broken in mind and spirit, he never recovered from the blow, and had drifted almost aimlessly for over 20 years until the trouble which led to the killing of C. C. Elliott. Over this crime he brooded night and day, and repeated over and over to men who knew him that he had no thought or desire to hurt Elliott and that he hardly knew how it happened.

After he was released on bail he would sit down at the Court house and weep over the tragedy, and told Circuit Clerk Dyke again and again that he would rather be dead himself than to have killed Mr. Elliott. His trial was set for Monday, but it will now go over to the term of a Higher Court.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Fallon was present at the funeral on Friday, when the unfortunate man was buried at Trinity church yard with simple ceremonies.

County Medical Society.

The fact came out at the meeting of the Medical Society at Calera on Tuesday that the average number of births in Shelby County is very much greater than the average of deaths. The births in April were 86, and the deaths 16.

At this meeting a proposal was offered by the Farmers Union to provide a fixed rate for medical service to members of each local in the county.

The sense of the doctor's meeting was against the plan on the ground that there was no more justice in the farmers fixing the pay of doctors than for the doctors to fix the price farmers should receive for their product. A committee of five, with Dr. D. L. Wilkinson chairman, was appointed to investigate, and report on the subject.

Dogs For Sale.

Two thoroughbred male Shepherd pups. 6 months old. Cross between Scotch and English strains, making a fine yard and stock dog. Price $5.00 each.
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Montevallo, Ala.

The Annual Memorial services were held at Union church on Saturday last. Rev. C. M. Walton conducted the devotional exercises, and the address of welcome was delivered by Jas. H. Walton in a very happy manner. Other addresses of decided interest were delivered by Rev. J. Woodward, of Talladega, and Prof. J. M. Dye. The occasion was one of marked impressiveness to all present, and great credit is due to the committee, Messrs. J. W. Moore, J. W. Shaw, and J. H. Walton, for the completeness and harmony of the arrangements.

Misses Young, Stallworth, Pinkston, and Overton, entertained the Senior Class with a delightful picnic at the Big Spring the other day.

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What More Can You Ask?

Commencement.

Program of Exercises At The Girl's School.

The commencement exercises of the Alabama Girls Industrial school, will be held June 5-8. Many out-of-town visitors are expected to be present. The complete programme is as follows:

Saturday, June 5,
10:00 a. m.—Alumnae Meeting.
7:00-9:00 p. m.—Play, "Fanchon, the Cricket."

Sunday, June 6.
11:00 a. m.—Commencement Sermon—Bishop Warren A. Candler, Atlanta Georgia.
8:00 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. Services.

Monday, June 7.
9:00-10:00 a. m.—Industrial and Art Exhibit.
10:00 a. m.—Class Day Exercises.
2:00-4:00 p. m.—Industrial Art Exhibit.
4:00-5:00 p. m.—Gymnasium Exhibit.
7:30-8:30 p. m.—Concert.

Tuesday, June 8.
10:30 a. m.—Commencement Address.

Wilton Whisperings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nabors are visiting relatives in Atlanta.

Mrs. R. D. Gunlock and little son, Robbie, and Mrs. Robt. Gardner and children spent several days in Anniston last week.

Misses Mavde and Dove Adams of Lawley, are visiting the family of their grand father, Mr. McGee.

Mrs. N. H. Thompson entertained a number of her young friends on Monday. Mrs. Thompson is a charming hostess and the young people had a delightful time.

Percy Cleveland spent several days in Ensley last week.

Henry Little made a hurried trip to Selma Wednesday.

R. O. Camp spent the past week in Louisville, Ky.

H. C. Fulton, the popular "candy and grocery man," was here Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Ethel Underwood visited friends and relatives in Calera on Sunday.

Charley Banks spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mr. Roberts and family from Selma have moved into one of the Latham houses.

Mrs. A. P. Bradley of Selma visited Mrs. R. D. Gunlock last week.

The many friends of Pratte Elkins who is in the Union St. Hospital in Selma, will be glad to know that his condition is much improved.

Omega.

Miss Kennedy, Field Secretary of the Sunday School Union gave a lecture at the Baptist church on Wednesday night. Miss Kenndy is an interesting speaker, and entertained a good sized audience.

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and Window Screens.
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Furniture.

Masonic Home Committee will be in Montevallo about June 10, to look over the site offered by Hon. W. F. Aldrich and the other inducements. It is understood that the cash donations of Mr. Aldrich, of P. B. Thomas, of the Masonic order here, and others, are ready as soon as the decision is made in favor of the Aldrich-Montevallo site.

Mr. & Mrs. Jones- Williams gave a card party on Friday in honor of Miss. Purcell who has been teaching the past season in the public school here. Miss Purcell resides in Columbia Alabama

Mrs. J. Alex. Moore has been visiting her mother at Jasper.

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TELEPHONE CENTRAL.

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Not those who are born, muses the Christian Register, but those who survive control the future.

Some men have so much self-control, sneers the New York Press, they can get mad with their wives when they wouldn't with anybody else.

What a man could do with plenty of money is nothing, confesses the New York Press, compared to what he has to do because he hasn't got it.

We are obliged to disagree with the learned Dr. Wu Ting-fang regarding what he considered the impropriety of singing "Dixie" at a peace festival. Any really good son is good in peace and war alike, affirms the New York World. "Dixie" is anyhow.

Territorial officials have been ordered to stay away from Washington, D. C., notes the Pittsburg Dispatch, unless they have business there. Probably most of them can reply that they are there on what is to them the most important business, namely, the retention of their jobs.

A Chicago footpad, quietly working his own side of the street, was held up and robbed by two brother artists, whereupon he managed to toll them into the clutches of the law, relates the Louisville Courier-Journal. Looks like the reputation of that town for lack of neighborliness manifests itself at every turn.

It is of consequence that the notion of freedom be within us, pleads Professor George H. Palmer. It does make a difference. How many pass through life oppressed by the idea that we are slaves, dominated by environment and influences that are fixed, and are no different from the inanimate things about us. It makes a difference if we believe ourselves not slaves to circumstances, not with characters inevitably fixed, and can look into the possibilities of the future and draw strength from them. We may then be masters of life's field.

Maryland's contributions to literature was the theme of the speakers at the several Maryland day observances throughout the State. There has never been a serious attempt made to list the Maryland writers, much less an adequate attempt to appraise the various contributions to the history of the State, laments the Baltimore American. The contributors to Maryland's literature—the literature of the State itself—have not been as numerous or conspicuous as those of some other States. But the writers of Maryland birth and lineage, they who received their impulses toward literature and were educated here, have gone outside their State for themes. There are some whose worth and work is better known throughout the country generally and abroad than in their own State.

"Elaborate preparations are being made for the celebration next year of this great republic's centenary," writes a New York merchant from Buenos Ayres, "and the monster exhibitions which have been planned will open the eyes of the world to the greatness of the Argentine Republic. It is a remarkable fact that we Americans know less of the country than the people of Europe, and when the forthcoming centenary was being spoken of among a number of business men a few days ago all the Americans in the party seemed to be surprised at the age of the republic, although its commercial importance has long been known to them. Throwing confetti and making a big noise with firecrackers and bombs has been the usual way in which the Argentine citizen celebrated the nation's birthday. But in 1910 this will be different. It will be a serious affair, and when the exhibitions are all over the world will have a better idea of the commercial, industrial and educational advances made here in 100 years, and will know more also of the agricultural and mineral wealth."

BISHOP GALLOWAY DEAD

Great Southern Methodist Passes Away at Home in Mississippi.

AUTHOR OF MANY BOOKS

Writings Best Known of Any Person in the Methodist Church South. Sketch of His Life.

Jackson, Miss.—Bishop Charles G. Galloway of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Mississippi's most distinguished divine and best known publicist, who for the past twenty years, has held rank among the greatest pulpit orators of America, died at his residence in this city, after an illness of several days with a mild form of pneumonia complicated with heart trouble.

On several occasions during the past three years, Bishop Galolway suffered severe attacks, due to enfeebled heart action, and hardening of the arteries. Although only in his sixtieth year, the prodigious volume of work he performed as the "Mission Bishop of Methodism" had greatly weakened his once powerful physique and he was in no condition to withstand the lung congestion that caused his death.

Charles Betts Galloway was born at Kosciusko, Miss., Sept. 1, 1849, and was in his sixtieth year. He graduated in 1868 from the University of Mississippi, from which institution he received the degree of doctor of divinity in 1882. The degree of doctor of laws was later conferred upon him by the Northwestern University, and by the Tulane University.

He entered the ministry in 1868 as a member of the Mississippi Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, serving numerous churches in that state. He was editor of the New Orleans Christian Adovcate from 1882 until 1886, when he was ordained as bishop, serving the church continuously in that capacity until the day of his death.

Bishop Galloway's writings covered a wider range, perhaps, than those of any other person connected with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. and he traveled extensively. For a number of years past he took an active interest in the campaigns waged in Mississippi and other southern states for prohibition. A "Handbook of Prohibition" and "Open Letters on Prohibition," which latter embraced a controversy with Jefferson Davis, were among his writings along this line.

TO EXTERMINATE PESTS.

Great Campaign Planned Against the House Flies.

Chicago, Ill.—It is time to begin the fight on flies. Health Commissioner Evans has sounded the warning in his weekly bulletin on Chicago's health.

In the war on flies, the report prescribes the best death for the insects. It gives the formula for a poison that will kill the flies and not endanger human life.

A dram of bichromate of potash, dissolved in two ounces of water and sweetened, is the cheap and effective method of encouraging the flies to kill themselves.

There are other sanitary regulations, though, that the health report says ought to be exercised. Here are some of the ways suggested:

Screen your windows and doors before fly time.

Screen all food, especially milk.

Keep flies away from the sick, especially those ill with contagious diseases.

Eliminate the breeding places of flies; this is important.

The following should be done:

Sprinkle chloride of lime or kerosene over contents of garbage boxes and other refuse.

Keep garbage receptacles tightly covered. Clean the cans daily.

Clean the boxes every week. Sprinkle them with kerosene or chloride of lime.

Pour kerosene into the drains; keep sewerage system in good order.

Clean cuspidors every day; keep a 5 per cent solution of carbolic acid in them all the time.

Don't allow dirt to accumulate in corners, behind doors, back of radiators or under stoves.

No dirt—no flies.

AUTOMOBILES SLAUGHTER CHILDREN

27 Killed by Machines in New York City Since April 1st.

New York City.—Twelve-year-old Walter Purdy was run over in front of his home in Ninety-fourth street by an automobile driven by Minthorne Woolsey, a broker. Woolsey was held under $500 bail on a technical charge of homicide. Since April 1, according to the police, twenty-seven children have been killed by automobiles in the streets of Manhattan.

ALCOHOL IN BREAD.

Temperance People Will Have to Quit Eating It.

Chicago, Ill.—On the theory of many persons that the partaker of any food containing even a slight quantity of alcohol is likely to acquire the liquor habit, those Chicagoans wishing to guard against this result, must quit eating bread.

Experiments conducted in London establishing the presence of 7.2 grains of alcohol in every bun weighing 2 1-2 ounces, have been repeated in Chicago with more impressive results. Chicago bread, of the 5-cent loaf variety, has been found to contain from three to four-tenths of 1 per cent of alcohol.

PREMATURE BLAST KILLS 20.

1,000 Pounds of Dynamite Explodes at Quarry Near Albany, N. Y.

Albany, N. Y.—Twenty men were killed by a premature blast of dynamite in a stone quarry operated by the Callanan Road Improvement Company near South Bethlehem, eleven miles south of Albany.

One thousand pounds of dynamite exploded and the bodies of the victims were hurled hundreds of feet by the concussion and so badly mutilated as to be beyond recognition.

LATE NEWS NOTES.

General.

The British naval estimates call for an expenditure of $175,713,500 during the next fiscal year. This is almost $40,000,000 more than the United States wil lspend, and very nearly twice the sum that Germany will devote to her establishment.

Charles Whitney, an uncle of President Taft and a wealthy merchant of Green Bay, Mich., eloped with Miss Eva Gerardin, an unusually pretty and attractive dressmaker of Green Bay. The bridegroom is sixty, the bride twenty.

Abdul Hamid has saved his life, but that is about all that remains to him. Terrorized by the threats of the young Turks leaders, he has transferred the $10,000,000 that he had on deposit in foreign banks over to the Young Turks.

Believing that it is better late than never, John P. Brady, contractor and builder, has had erected at his country home near Baltimore, Md., a monument to the memory of Adam, the first man.

A "moonshining" outfit brought from the mountains of Eastern Kentucky, will be exhibited at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle this summer.

Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, of Chicago, in an address recently, urged the teaching of morality in the public schools, but said that the use of a text-book in this teaching would be ridiculous. He said that the accumulation of knowledge which does not improve the character is not education in the true sense.

The Chinese regent, Prince Chun, who since the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai, has been collecting lists of officials who were dismissed previous to his taking office, has issued an edict rehabilitating the reputations and rewarding the families of five officials of the late Dowager Empress, who were beheaded for opposing the Boxers.

A bottle of beer was placed in the corner stone of the new town hall at Gary, Ind., just before the ceremonies started. An enthusiastic prohibitionist placed the bottle filled with the amber fluid in the niche of the cornerstone. The inscription on the bottle read as follows: "At one time the contents of this bottle was used as a beverage by the people, but the beverage was destined to become extinct."

Shut out of the house of commons by the police, the English suffragettes chartered the launch Dreadnaught, and putting a band on board, steamed up the river opposite the house of parliament. Here the boat stopped and the women sang the Marseillaise. Then suddenly there was fired from the launch a broadside of rockets. These burst above the terraces and a regular snow storm of handbills fluttered down over the watching members.

Washington.

In a conflict between Panama police and employes of the canal zone, near the dividing line, C. M. Abbott, an electrician in the power house at Cristobal, an American, and a negro, also an American, were killed. The police went to arrest an escaped prisoner, when they were attacked by the West Indians.

The Morse code letters C. Q. D. will no longer be the distress signal from vessels in trouble. Owing to the difficulty of making and deciphering this signal, it has been decided to abandon it and substitute "S. O. S." The new signal has been adopted by the Berlin treaty, and is now official all over the world. The next Jack Binns who signals from the wireless telegraph room of a vessel in distress will flash out "S. O. S." in place of the now famous "C. Q. D."

According to advices just received from Colonel George W. Goethals, the Panama canal at the present rate of progress will be completed, so far as the excavation is concerned, by August 1, 1911. The total amount of excavation since May 4, 1904, when the United States undertook the work, has been 73,124,849 cubic yards. Of this amount more than one-half, or 38,059,180 cubic yards, has been taken out in the last twelve months. It is estimated that there remains to be excavated 101,40,746 cubic yards.

The president has nominated as United States district judge for eastern district of North Carolina, Henry Groves Connor, of North Carolina. The president gave more consideration to this North Carolina judgeship than to all of the other vacancies on the federal bench, with which he has had to deal, since his anauguration. He has been in constant consultation with the North Carolina senators and representatives and has placed before him the names of at least a dozen candidates. Judge Connor, a democrat, was for about ten years on the bench of the supreme court of North Carolina.

Four Sac and Fox Indians from Ohio were among the large throng of visitors at the white house who shook hands with President Taft one day recently. The chief of the delegation was Push-E-TaNequa. An Indian named Tesson acted as interpreter and introduced his fellow callers. Tesson is a member of the G. A. R., and wore his brass-buttoned uniform.

The Memphis freight bureau filed complaint with the interstate commerce commission against the Southern railroad and San Francisco, and Mobile and Kansas City railways, alleging that these roads have practically isolated the region north of Pontotoc, Miss., from Memphis markets for cotton and cotton seed because of prohibitive freight rates.

"It is a matter for the discretion of the directors and officers of a national bank to determine whether they will enter into a contract with an insurance company guaranteeing the solvency of the bank," said Attorney General Wickersham, in an opinion forwarded to Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh. This diseretion. says the attorney general, is 'to be exercised in view of the solvency and general financial conditions of the company making the insurance and the reasonableness of the rate of premium."

PLAN CUBAN INVASION

Reported That U. S. Will Take Charge of Island Affairs.

SELF RULE IS A FAILURE

Administration Officials Refuse to Admit Seriousness of the Situation, and Secrecy Surrounds Plans.

Washington, D. C.—That a third armed invasion of Cuba by the United States is not improbable in the not distant future is the belief of many well-informed army and navy men here. Naturally all effort to induce them to speak openly on the subject is useless.

Each day the island government is becoming more involved and plunging deeper in the mire of financial difficulties. There is said to be a rapid relapse from the conditions as left by the United States a few months ago.

It is recognized by the administration that intervention is slowly becoming more imperative because of the growing complications facing the new government, but the administration here is diplomatically sphinx-like in so far as even hinting at the subject. It could not well be otherwise for the present.

Plans for the landing of soldiers at Havana and Cienfuegos have been prepared by the general staff of the army. The utmost secrecy surrounds these plans, it is needless to say, and the war department officials will stoutly deny the existing facts, as will other administration officials, but nevertheless they are there. The plans are known only to high ranking officers of the army, who have under lock and key detailed printed provisional orders for the movements of infantry and cavalry forces.

Conditions in Cuba are believed to be nearing a crisis through the actions of the new government. In addition to the heavy burdens placed on Cuba by the United States in its $19,000,000 bond issue, the government has practically traded the arsenal property to the railroad and incurred an additional responsibility of $6,000,000. Further than that, the new government is creating hundreds of offices and filling them with Cubans. Many of the men who fought for "Cuba Libre" believe they are not receiving their reward, and may make trouble, necessitating intervention by the United States.

President Taft and administration officials refuse to admit the seriousness of the situation for reasons of policy. The president has always been proud of the manner in which the United States handled affairs in Cuba, and believes that action must be justified.

Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, speaking of the chaotic conditions in Cuba and the announcement, says:

"I regret to hear that conditions in Cuba are such as may force another intervention on our part. My guess is that if we are compelled to intervene again we will stay there for keeps."

Representative Austin of Tennessee said he knew conditions are not satisfactory in Cuba and that the Cuban government had not lived up to its promises. "In my judgment," said he, "it was a serious mistake for the United States to ever turn the island over to the Cubans. It is quite probable that we will have to return to the island. If we do we will remain there."

TURPENTINE MEN SENTENCED.

Jail Sentences and Fines Assessed by Court.

Savannah, Ga.—Overruling the motion in arrest of judgment offered by the defense, Judge William B. Sheppard sentenced the five men found guilty of violating the Sherman anti-trust law, and for the first time, so far as is known, jail sentences, in two cases, were imposed. The sentences follow:

Spencer P. Shotter, chairman of the board of directors of the American Naval Stores Company, three months in jail and a fine of $5,000.

Edmund S. Nash, president of the company, $2,000 fine.

John Cooper Myers, vice president of the American Company and president of the National Transportation and Terminal Company, three months in jail and a fine of $2,500.

George Mead Boardman of New York, treasurer of the American Naval Stores Company, $2,000 fine.

Carl Moller of Jacksonville, Fla., agent of the American and general manager of the National Transportation and Terminal Company in Jacksonville, $5,000 fine.

The case will be appealed to the United States court of appeals.

SERIES OF TORNADOES.

Three States Suffer Damage from the Storms—One Town Devastated.

Kansas City, Mo.—A series of tornadoes in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma killed at least five, injured 55, devastated one town, wrecked a train and did great damage to property.

Twenty-five men were injured by a storm that swept over Mount Washington and Fairmount Park, suburbs of Kansas City.

The town of Hollis, Kan., was swept away. Here three were killed and ten seriously injured.

The storm spread over a wide area, however, laid waste to many farm houses and many people are reported homeless.

BAPTISTS BAR CARNEGIE CASH.

Claim Ironmaster Wants Too Much for His Money.

Louisville, Ky.—Almost unanimous sentiment to reject the offer of the Carnegie foundation fund, providing money to sectarian schools that will drop their sectarianism, was the spirit at a banquet of the Southern Baptist Education Society, in connection with the Southern Baptist Convention which is in session here. The most prominent educators of the suoth were present at the banquet.

88,000,000 PEOPLE IN U. S.

Original States Have a Third of Population.

Washington, D. C.—Of the 88,000,000 people in the United States, Alaska included, about one-third live in the original thirteen states, according to a statistical abstract of the United States to be issued in a few days by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. Another third live in the states created from the territory ceded to the common union by the original states, and the remaining third in the area added by purchase or annexation.

In 1908 there were 754,898,000 acres of unappropriated and unreserved land, of which one-half was in Alaska, 44,778,000 in New Mexico and 42,769,000 in Arizona.

Of swamps and overflow lands there are about 75,000,000 acres in the country, of which 18,500,000 acres are in Florida, Louisiana coming next with about half that amount.

HIGH HATS ALLOWED TO WOMEN.

Chicago City Council Proposes to Be Good to Females.

Chicago, Ill.—The city council's gallant judiciary committee has removed the limit on the height of women's hats. It has decided on a city ordinance which will permit the construction of three story hats.

The aldermen have no patience with the Elgin minister, Chicago theater owners or Illinois legislators who are attempting to interfere with the Magna Charta rights of women to wear any size or shaped head ornament which pleases their fancy.

Therefore, the aldermen propose to raise the awnings. All must be hoisted to a height of 8 feet and 6 full inches above the sidewalk level.

Alderman Lipps was the man who discovered the reason for the "squatty hats." He noticed that it is not possible for the women to walk under an awning in many places without "ducking." So he had the ordinance prepared. He also thought higher awnings would be of benefit to tall men and to those who wear theater and silk hats.

STRAW PAVING A SUCCESS.

It Prevents Dust and Holds Heavy Traffic Well.

Endicott, Wash.—Paving town streets with wheat straw as a means of binding the mud in the spring and keeping the dust down later in the season is being demonstrated here, where two miles of streets were treated this spring, a foot of fresh straw being laid from curb to curb and packed into the wet ground following a slight rainfall. The experiment is considered to be a success, as the streets are neat and clean, and there is no dust, though traffic to and from the big wheat ranches is heavy. Country roads in other parts of Washington have been "strawed" for years during the summer months to hold the dust, but this is the first time it has been tried in town, and it is not unlikely that other communities will take up the work until permanent pavements are built.

TO DOUBLE LIQUOR DEALERS TAX.

Also to Eliminate Tax Entirely Where Sale of Liquor is Prohibited.

Washington, D. C.—A bill doubling the tax imposed upon brewers and wholesale and retail liquor dealers was introduced by Representative Kendall of Iowa. It also provides that no tax shall be imposed or collected in these localities where the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited by state laws. An effort to have the national liquor dealers tax increased was made at the time the ways and means committee was preparing the tariff bill.

CAPTAIN HAINS GUILTY.

Jury Returned a Verdict of Manslaughter—No "Unwritten Law."

Flushing, N. Y.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., United States Army, faces a prison term of from one to twenty years. Despite all the testimony submitted by the defense as tending to show insanity, he was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree for killing William E. Annis at the Bayside Yacht Club last August.

The jury refused to bring in a verdict under the "unwritten law."

Famine in Russia.

Odessa, Russia.—There is a serious famine in Kieff province and peasants are starving in scores. It is impossible to get food, and the suffering is intense. In one village three-fourths of the residents are dying of starvation.

$5,000 For Florida School.

Binghampton, N. Y.—By the terms of his will, offered for probate in surrogate's court here, S. Mills Ely, who died last week, bequeaths $5,000 to the Hungerford Normal school of Cottonville, Fla.

Man Loses His Identity.

McNeil, Ark. — Claiming complete lapse of memory, a stranger arrived here with the only means of identification being the letters "H. A. W." on his linen. He says he remembers he was in Texas and that he was a professor at a university, but his recollection further than this is blank.

Prohibition Bill Lost in Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo.—The Missouri state senate refused to recede from the tax rider amendment to the prohibition joint resolution and asked the house for a conference committee. This action is taken generally as spelling the end of legislative action on the subject.

Chinese School.

Chicago, Ill.—Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister to the United States, has accepted the presidency of the Chinese school of Chicago, according to an announcement. The school was started under the auspices of the Chinese government. Courses in Chinese literature, domestic science, Chinese and international law and the customs and habits of the Chinese in their own country will be given. There are 32 students already en-

STATE OBSERVATIONS.

Montgomery, Ala.—That Alabama is not going much into the race suicide class is evidenced by the fact that for the month of January last there were 3,464 births, a rate of about 22 to the 1,000 on an estimated population of 2,213,000.

This is the first month in which statistics have been kept under the new laws, and while they have not been received as generally and as quickly as the health office force would like, there is a great improvement over the old methods. Of the 3,464 births, 2,377 were white and 1,087 colored. Of the whites there were 1,320 males and 1,057 females, and blacks 614 males and 743 females. There was a total of 1,037 deaths reported, with 589 whites and 488 colored. White males were 321, females 268, colored males 247, females 201.

Decatur, Ala.—S. Hechinger, who is acting in connection with the agricultural department of the state, was in Decatur. He is making an effort to locate German colonies in Alabama, and proposes to settle these colonies with Germans from other states who have been in this country for some time and who are seeking a milder climate and cheaper lands than are to be found in the north and west.

Montgomery, Ala.—The recent cool nights are said to have had bad effect on the crops, especially the cotton, in many cases lice having been reported on the young stalks. Planting, however, has gone on in north Alabama to the extent that most of the cotton crop will be in the ground by the time this letter is being read. Middle and south Alabama is chopping and the young plant is looking well. Corn is showing up nicely and the other crops are making good while the days are bright. Commissioner of Agriculture Wilkinson is agreeably impressed with the outlook for the year in all lines of crop culture. He is receiving all the time plenty of encouragement for the prize contests which he thinks will be of great benefit to the farmers.

Anniston, Ala.—For the second time within a week and for the fourth time in less than six months an unknown white baby has been thrown upon the mercies of the world in this city, a healthy boy infant having been picked up by Chief of Police Jirels on the steps of Charles Nonnemacher's bakery shop.

Washington, D. C.—The president nominated William I. Grubb of Birmingham for the United States judgeship of the Northern Alabama district to succeed Oscar R. Hundley.

The appointment is significant in that no faction in the state in either democratic or republican ranks can claim its dictation.

Jasper, Ala.—The Jasper Land company has deeded to the Alabama Central railroad full right of way through all its lands north of Manchester, for an extension of the road on toward Decatur, and said deed has been recorded in the probate office of this county.

The people at both ends of the line and those intermediate are extremely concerned and are gratified to hear of any movement that looks like going ahead.

Montgomery, Ala.—Over $70,000 in money for the erection of school houses in rural districts is now ready for distribution, the exact figures being $73,212.44. This is sent out by the office of the department of education and will run the entire amount since the law became operative to almost $200,000, $93,000 having been sent out already. The state gives not less than $100 nor more than $200 to a school district, on the people giving the lot needed to the state and as much as the state gives.

Huntsville, Ala.—The farmers of this section have been busy during the last few days getting their seed cotton in the ground. Those in the southern and western portions of Madison county have almost finished, but those in the northern and eastern portions have more than a week's work yet. The acreage is expected to be slightly smaller than last year.

Washington, D. C.—A preliminary report of the examination of forest conditions existing in Alabama has just been completed by J. H. Foster of the United States forest reserve, in co-operation with the state commission of forestry.

The report brings out many interesting facts concerning the past and present condition of the state's forest resources. Originally Alabama was covered with magnificent forests varying from hardwoods in the mountains of the northeast to the great pine forests of the coastal plain. The mountains of the north contain valuable deposits of coal, iron and other minerals, and the pine and hardwood forests have been badly stripped from the rough slopes to supply the great need for timber in the mines and lumber for the local and foreign markets.

The southern coastal pine belt was the last to be invaded by the lumberman. These forests have been harvested like grain in the field, cutting, slashing and leaving much of the ground clean behind. The original forests of longleaf pine, the "piney woods," are so rapidly disappearing that one can easily designate on the map of the state the remaining large areas.

The practice of turpentining young longleaf pines is the final and crushing blow to the piney woods forests. The young sapling growth is slashed and girdled for the turpentine and within two or three years will be abandoned to die, break down by the wind and burn up by fires following.

Alabama has some very good forestry laws, but in the main the state lacks system and machinery for putting them in operation. Most of all the state needs a wide awake forester who can give his undivided attention to the educating of the people to the necessity of forest preservation, fire protection and a wiser use of the forests that remain. Alabama has reached a stage where it is time to take account of stock. The old growth forests are wellnigh exhausted and will be almost entirely within the next fifteen years.

Women Suffer

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LONG DELAYED PROPOSAL.

French Story of Note in Bouquet That Was for Years Unanswered.

One of the longest delayed proposals on record is related in a French story of a shy young subaltern who was ordered away to the wars. Not daring to speak, he sent a rosegay of yellow roses to the girl he loved, with a little note inside begging her, if she returned his love, to wear one of the flowers in her breast that night at the ball. She appeared without it, and he went away broken hearted.

Years afterward, when he was a lame old General, he again met his old love, now a white haired widow. One day his old sweetheart gently asked him why he had never married. "Madam," he answered somewhat sternly, "you ought to know best. If you had not refused to answer that note in the bouquet of yellow roses I might have been a happier man." "The note in the bouquet?" she repeated, growing pale.

She opened an old cabinet and took out from a drawer a shrivelled bouquet of what had been yellow roses, among whose leafless stalks lurked a scrap of paper yellow with age. "See! I never had your note," she said, holding the bouquet up. "If I had I would not have answered it as you fancied." "Then answer it now," said the gallant old soldier. And the long delayed proposal was accepted at last.—London Telegraph.

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Food Did It.

After using laxative and cathartic medicines from childhood a case of chronic and apparently incurable constipation yielded to the scientific food, Grape-Nuts, in a few days.

"From early childhood I suffered with such terrible constipation that I had to use laxatives continuously, going from one drug to another and suffering more or less all the time.

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GETTING WEIGHED.

One Patron Whose Motive Might Have Puzzled Any Weighing Machine.

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In short the weighing machine meets all sorts and varieties of people, and it comes to know them all, or nearly all; and it knows as a rule just what prompts them to weigh themselves, whether it is idleness, interest, curiosity, fear or just fun. But probably it would puzzle even a weighing machine, though it knows so many people, to tell just why a woman walking along a street on a rainy night and carrying an umbrella should halt at a machine standing out on the sidewalk and step up in the rain to weigh herself.—New York Sun.

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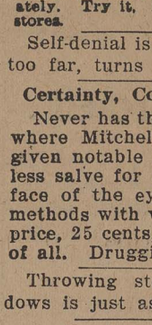

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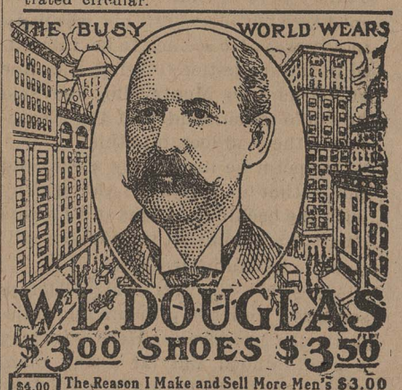

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Southern Officials Visit Montevallo.

Represenative of President Finley and others spend Day Here.

Vital questions for this city are being worked out by the highest officials of the Southern railway, and upon thir decision, to a large extent, hangs the destiny of Montevallo.

A few weeks ago an order was promulgated to stop the backing of trains in here from Wilton, and to make Aldrich the station for all trains on the B'ham. Selma line. A protest from the business men here secured a suspension of this order, and when J. S. B. Thompson, representative of President Finley, arrived here on Wednesday last, he came to look over the ground in order that a decision may be ultimately reached which is just and fair to all parties.

Mr. Thompson was accompained by Supt. Standhcil of Selma, Train Master Lasseter of Wilton, and Mr. Simpson, Gen'l freight agent at Birmingham.

He came in his private car, and was met at the Montevallo station by a party of citizens in carriages.

His first object was to learn the exact distance to Aldrich station, and the drive over there was taken immediately after his arrival.

On the return a conference was held in the President's office at the Girl's school. Prof. J. Alex. Moore presented the facts as they appear to the School officials, and the public here. He was followed by President Palmer who deprecated the plan to change the station over to Aldrich, and expressed the hope that some better solution might be found.

C. L. Meroney suggested the bringing of the B'ham Selma line directly into the Montevallo station, thus obviating all backing up of trains and giving to Montevallo, the chief town between Birmingoam and Selma, the full advantage of all the passenger facilities of this line. J. A. Macknight supported this plan and offered some strong arguments in its favor.

Mr. Thompson's address was intended to show the good will of his company to the people here, as to all points on the line; but he explained that he had no power to determine the matters at issue. Though he discussed each phase of the question in an interesting and logical manner, showing that he is an a lept in his line of work, he took good care not to commit his company in any way. He seemed to be interested in the suggestion to bring the line at Aldrich into Montevallo, and said he would recommend that the Engineers of the road look into this.

One point he made very clear, and that is that his company is doing away with the backing of trains at all points on its lines, and that this danger will have to be eliminated here.

Altogether, the visit of Mr. Thompson was a source of pleasure and satisfaction to Montevallo. He is evidently a broad minded and far seeing man who is not likely to make a mistake about the growing importance and future preeminence of Montevallo as the leading city of central Alabama.

The party of distinguished railroad men was entertained at luncheon at the St. George, and left here late in the afternoon.

The Agis hopes that the people will realize the value of the sanitory suggestions made in this issue by Dr. D. L. Wilkinson. If acted upon faithfully and promptly there will be little sickness here this season.

Rumors Afloat.

There has been a good deal of gossip about town for a couple of weeks regarding important changes that are contemplated at the Girl's School.

Whatever these changes may be nothing definite will known about them until the Board of Trustees meets in June. In the meantime we may be sure that no backward step will be taken. In the past year President Palmer has attended every notable educational gathering that has been held in the country in order to put the school in touch with the most advanced ideas in all departments. It is likely that any proposed modifications here are based on the studies he has made. It is certain that they can only be put in force here through the action of the Trustees, and that full discussion of the subject will be had before any radical changes are made.

The Agis hopes that the Board of Trustees, while considering other phases of the situation, will not overlook, the vital matter of changing the schools name. Make it the ALABAMA GIRL'S POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE and it will take its place at once among the great institutions of learning in the country, and it will be filled to its full capacity when its doors reopen next fall.

Notes of Concord.

The farmers are pushing their work, but rain is badly needed.

Many people from here attended the singing at Enon, and the meeting was a success.

Cary Moore, who is recovering from an operation at a Birmingham Infirmary is said to be doing nicely. His sister Mary will remain with him until he is able to come home.

F. M. Self was in Birmingham last week on business.

An enjoyable birth day party was given on Friday in honor of Miss Lena Sessions, at her home. Neighborhood society was well represented, and all had a good time

The Communion and Foot-washing service was held at Providence on Saturday, and regular service on Sunday. Both were largely attended. Date for children's day service will be announced soon.

—Rob Roy.

Montevallo boys and girls are making good everywhere. At Irene, Texas, the other day they held a "Trade Day" fair. D. W. Shivers jr. was one of the foot-race champions, and the first prize for fancy work, was won by his wife.

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Residents of Montevallo, as a rule, keep their front yards in good order. Many yards are filled with flowers at this season, some of the prettiest being those of Mrs. Geo. Kroell, Mrs. Givhan Mrs. W. B. Reynolds, and Mrs. Jones Williams.

Exemptions.

Legal Protection of the Poor Against Usurers.

There is a charge that there is a joker in the new state code in the matter of exemptions and waive notes. The clause alluded to is as follows:

"Section 4237.—Exceptions to Waiver: No waiver of exemption in any written instrument shall be held to apply to or include or authorize the levy of an execution or attachment on any of the following articles: Cooking utensils, cooking stoves, tableware, chairs, beds and bed clothing, in actual use by the family, wearing apparel, meat not exceeding 100 pounds, lard not exceeding fifty pounds, meal and flour not exceeding ten bushels, or if no meal or flour corn or wheat not exceeding ten bushels, ten bushels of Irish or sweet potatoes, and ten gallons of syrup, to be selected by the debtor for any debt contracted after the adoption of this code."

All exemptions are based on the idea that it is not good for the state that a man and his family should be stripped of home furniture, food and necessities and thrown upon the public, broken in spirit and hopeless. That is the essential principle in civilization, that a man should be protected from ruining himself and his family.

There is nothing terrible in this section. It is notice to lenders of what they cannot take as security for loans. There is no hardship in it. Any lender or creditor know now that he cannot take these things as security, even with a waive note.

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